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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 150:5663  
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tetrazol-5-yl)  
biphenyl  
AUTHOR(S): Wang, Guo-xi; Sun, Bao-ping; Ru, Zong-ling  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Chemical Engineering, Anyang Institute  
of Technology, Anyang, 455000, Peop. Rep. China  
SOURCE: Synthetic Communications (2008), 38(20), 3577-3581  
CODEN: SYNCV; ISSN: 0039-7911  
PUBLISHER: Taylor & Francis, Inc.  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB Biphenyl tetrazole ring is an important component of the Sartan family of  
novel drugs. 4'-Bromomethyl-2-(N-trityl-1H-tetrazol-  
5-yl)biphenyl was synthesized in this article  
from 4'-methyl-2-cyano-biphenyl through three steps.  
4'-Methyl-2-cyano-biphenyl was reacted with azide ions with the help of  
ammonium chloride as catalyst in an autoclave with high  
conversion to afford the tetrazole compds. in 70.6% yield. After being  
protected by the trityl group with 92.6% yield, 4'-methyl-2-(N-trityl-  
1H-tetrazol-5-yl)biphenyl  
was brominated with N-bromosuccinimide in cyclohexane with  
2,2'-azo-isobutyronitrile acting as an initiator to provide the title  
compound in 83.8% yield.  
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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 146:229349  
 TITLE: Process for preparing irbesartan and related angiotensin II receptor antagonists  
 INVENTOR(S): Bessa Belmunt, Jordi  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Farmaprojects, S. A., Spain  
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 31pp.  
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OTHER SOURCE(S):	CASREACT 146:229349; MARPAT 146:229349			
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AB The invention relates to a process for preparing angiotensin II receptor antagonists, in particular irbesartan (I; R = H), and protected forms for the preparation thereof. The process renders irbesartan in one step from intermediates that are easy to obtain from com. products. The reaction is selective for the primary amine and presents no interaction with the NH of the tetrazole ring, which eliminates the need for a protecting group. By the process, irbesartan may be obtained without the need of handling

explosive and highly toxic reagents, such as azide derivs. The process allows for the efficient and simple preparation of irbesartan and related angiotensin II receptor antagonists of formula I (R = H, tetrazolyl protecting group), as illustrated by the following example. Suzuki coupling of 4-bromobenzylamine hydrochloride with 2-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)phenylboronic acid (reference for preparation is given) gave tetrazolylbiphenyl II. Heterocyclization of valeroyl chloride with 1-aminocyclopentanecarboxylic acid gave oxaazaspirotronenone III. Condensation of II with III in the presence of an acid catalyst, such as hydrochloric acid, in a polar aprotic solvent, such as Et acetate, resulted in the formation of irbesartan.

L6 ANSWER 3 OF 5 HCPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006:623226 HCPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 145:271701  
 TITLE: Regioselective alkylation of 2-alkyl-5,6,7,8-tetrahydro-3H-cycloheptimidazol-4-ones and 2-alkyl-3H-cycloheptimidazol-4-ones  
 AUTHOR(S): Sonegawa, Motoharu; Yokota, Masayuki; Tomiyama, Hiroshi; Tomiyama, Tsuyoshi  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Kotobuki Research Laboratories, Kotobuki Seiyaku Company, Ltd., 6351 Sakaki-Machi, Nagano, 389-0697, Japan  
 SOURCE: Chemical & Pharmaceutical Bulletin (2006), 54(5), 706-710  
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 OTHER SOURCE(S): CASREACT 145:271701  
 AB Regioselective alkylation of 2-alkyl-5,6,7,8-tetrahydro-3H-cycloheptimidazol-4-one and 2-alkyl-3H-cycloheptimidazol-4-one was investigated. 3-[2'-(1-Tert-Butyl-1H-tetrazol-5-yl)biphenyl-4-ylmethyl]-2-propyl-5,6,7,8-tetrahydro-1H-cycloheptimidazol-4-one was preferentially obtained using NaH in DMF or THF. On the other hand, 3-[2'-(1-tert-butyl-1H-tetrazol-5-yl)biphenyl-4-ylmethyl]-2-propyl-5,6,7,8-tetrahydro-3H-cycloheptimidazol-4-one, the synthetic intermediate compound of Pratosartan, was obtained selectively in the presence of Bu4NBr in toluene by using aqueous sodium hydroxide as a base. In this reaction, it was found that the concentration of the alkaline solution influences its regioselectivity. This selectivity was observed even for aldehyde and ester derivs.  
 REFERENCE COUNT: 15 THERE ARE 15 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L6 ANSWER 4 OF 5 HCPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:371249 HCPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 142:430273  
 TITLE: Preparation of candesartan cilexetil  
 INVENTOR(S): Ettinger, Marina Yu; Fedotov, Boris  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd., Israel; Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc.; Dolitzky, Ben-Zion  
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 23 pp.  
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OTHER SOURCE(S): CASREACT 142:430273

AB The invention encompasses processes for the synthesis of cilexetil trityl candesartan (I), namely 1-[(cyclohexyloxy)carbonyloxy]ethyl 2-ethoxy-1-[(2'-(1-trityl-1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)methyl]-1H-benzimidazole-7-carboxylate, from the reaction of trityl candesartan (II), namely 2-ethoxy-1-[(2'-(1-trityl-1H-tetrazol-5-yl)biphenyl-4-yl)methyl]-1H-benzimidazole-7-carboxylic acid, with cilexetil halide, i.e. 1-[(cyclohexyloxy)carbonyloxy]ethyl halide, in the presence of a base and a low boiling organic solvent. Optionally, the reaction may be conducted in the presence of a phase transfer catalyst. Thus, a suspension of II (2.0 g), cilexetil chloride (1.21 g), K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (0.81 g) and MeCN (19 g) was stirred at 40° for apprx. 8 h while monitoring the reaction by TLC. The acetonitrile was removed at 30-35° under reduced pressure (10 mbar) to give, after workup, crude I, as a semisolid of 94.38% pure by HPLC. A solution of I (350 g), toluene (1,050 mL), methanol (2,100 mL) and water (17.0 mL) was refluxed for about 2-4 h, and the solvents were evaporated at 40-50°/100 mbar to give a residue as a viscous oil. The residue was dissolved at 45-55° in a mixture of

toluene/MeOH (1,041 g, 95:5, weight/weight) to give a clear solution which was cooled to -5 to 20° and kept at this temperature for about 8-12 h. The precipitated solids were filtered off, washed on the filter with cold toluene (350 mL) to give candesartan cilexetil as a wet solid (295.8 g, 83.0%). The wet solid (110 g) was dried at 50°/10 mbar for 2-6 h to give a wet white solid (94 g) which was dissolved in absolute ethanol (215-363 mL), filtered, and cooled at -15° to 5° for apprx. 2-24 h. The precipitated solids were filtered off, washed with cold absolute ethanol (23-35 mL), and dried at 50°/10 mbar to give 21.5 g candesartan cilexetil.

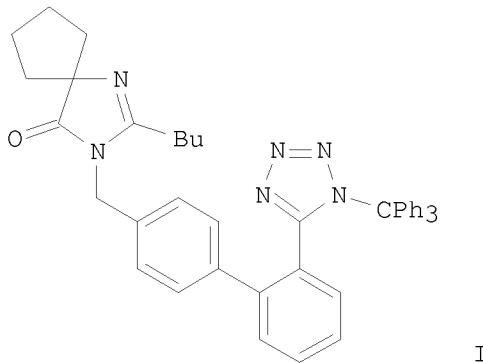
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L6 ANSWER 5 OF 5 HCPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2004:696369 HCPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 141:225515  
 TITLE: Synthesis of 2-butyl-3-[[2'-(1-trityl-1H-tetrazol-5-yl)biphenyl-4-yl)methyl]-1,3-diazaspiro[4,4]-non-ene-4-one  
 INVENTOR(S): Nisnevich, Gennady; Rukhman, Igor; Pertsikov, Boris; Kaftanov, Julia; Dolitzky, Ben-zion  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd., Israel; Teva Pharmaceuticals Usa, Inc.  
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AB Provided are 5 methods of making 2-butyl-3-[2'-(1-trityl-1H-tetrazol-5-yl)biphenyl]-1,3-diazaspiro[4,4]non-1-ene-4-one (I), e.g. comprising the steps of: (a) reacting 1-(N'-pentanoylamino)cyclopentanecarboxylic acid amide with 5-(4'-bromomethylbiphenyl-2-yl)-1-trityl-1H-tetrazole in the presence of an inorg. base, a solvent and a phase transfer catalyst; (b) cooling the mixture; (c) adding water to the mixture whereby two phases are obtained; (d) separating the two phases obtained; and (e) recovering the compound I. The compds. I can be converted to irbesartan which is a known angiotensin II receptor antagonist (blocker).

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AB The invention relates to a process for preparing angiotensin II receptor antagonists, in particular irbesartan (I; R = H), and protected forms for the preparation thereof. The process renders irbesartan in one step from intermediates that are easy to obtain from com. products. The reaction is selective for the primary amine and presents no interaction with the NH of the tetrazole ring, which eliminates the need for a protecting group. By the process, irbesartan may be obtained without the need of handling explosive and highly toxic reagents, such as azide derivs. The process allows for the efficient and simple preparation of irbesartan and related angiotensin II receptor antagonists of formula I (R = H, tetrazolyl protecting group), as illustrated by the following example. Suzuki coupling of 4-bromobenzylamine hydrochloride with 2-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)phenylboronic acid (reference for preparation is given) gave tetrazolylbiphenyl II. Heterocyclization of valeroyl chloride with 1-aminocyclopentanecarboxylic acid gave oxaazaspiroonenone III. Condensation of II with III in the

presence of an acid catalyst, such as hydrochloric acid, in a polar aprotic solvent, such as Et acetate, resulted in the formation of irbesartan.

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 AB The invention encompasses processes for the synthesis of cilexetil trityl candesartan (I), namely 1-[(cyclohexyloxy)carbonyl]oxy]ethyl 2-ethoxy-1-[(2'-(1-trityl-1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1,1'-biphenyl-4-yl)methyl]-1H-

benzimidazole-7-carboxylate, from the reaction of trityl candesartan (II), namely 2-ethoxy-1-[[2'-(1-trityl-1H-tetrazol-5-yl)biphenyl-4-yl)methyl]-1H-benzimidazole-7-carboxylic acid, with cilexetil halide, i.e.

1-[(cyclohexyloxy)carbonyl]oxyethyl halide, in the presence of a base and a low boiling organic solvent. Optionally, the reaction may be conducted in the presence of a phase transfer catalyst. Thus, a suspension of II (2.0 g), cilexetil chloride (1.21 g), K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (0.81 g) and MeCN (19 g) was stirred at 40° for .apprx.8 h while monitoring the reaction by TLC. The acetonitrile was removed at 30-35° under reduced pressure (10 mbar) to give, after workup, crude I, as a semisolid of 94.38% pure by HPLC. A solution of I (350 g), toluene (1,050 mL), methanol (2,100 mL) and water (17.0 mL) was refluxed for about 2-4 h, and the solvents were evaporated at 40-50°/100 mbar to give a residue as a viscous oil. The residue was dissolved at 45-55° in a mixture of toluene/MeOH (1,041 g, 95:5, weight/weight) to give a clear solution which was cooled to -5 to 20° and kept at this temperature for about 8-12 h. The precipitated solids were filtered off, washed on the filter with cold toluene (350 mL) to give candesartan cilexetil as a wet solid (295.8 g, 83.0%). The wet solid (110 g) was dried at 50°/10 mbar for 2-6 h to give a wet white solid (94 g) which was dissolved in absolute ethanol (215-363 mL), filtered, and cooled at -15° to 5° for .apprx.2-24 h. The precipitated solids were filtered off, washed with cold absolute ethanol (23-35 mL), and dried at 50°/10 mbar to give 21.5 g candesartan cilexetil.

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